



INFORMATION CITED BY APPLICANTS THAT MAY BE MATERIAL TO THE  
PROSECUTION OF THE SUBJECT APPLICATION

Applicants: E.H. Altendorf et al. Attorney Docket No.: MEIP122170  
Application No.: 10/804,636 Art Unit: 2878 / Confirmation No.: 7751  
Filed: March 19, 2004 Examiner: P.J. Lee  
Title: OPTICAL CONFIGURATION FOR  
IMAGING-TYPE OPTICAL ENCODERS

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

None

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

*Examiner Cite		Document No.	Kind Code	Publication Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Country	English	
Initial	No.					Abstract Provided	Translation Provided
PL	F5	JP 59-134006		09/07/1984	JP		
PL	F6	JP 62-200223	A	09/03/1987	JP	X	
PL	F7	JP 2002-231604	A	08/16/2002	JP	X	
PL	F8	JP 2003-021787	A	01/24/2003	JP	X	
PL	F9	JP 2003-307440	A	10/31/2003	JP	X	

OTHER INFORMATION

(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

None

**Examiner**

/Patrick Lee/

**Date Considered**

12/12/2006

\*Examiner: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with M.P.E.P. § 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

SIL:vas

LAW OFFICES OF  
CHRISTENSEN O'CONNOR JOHNSON KINDNESS<sup>LLC</sup>  
1420 Fifth Avenue  
Suite 2800  
Seattle, Washington 98101  
206.682.8100